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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - September quarter						
Unemployment	no.	-	-	903	657	738
Unemployment rate	%	-	-	7.2	5.4	6.1
LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE - year ended 30 June						
Total Revenue	$'000	10,759	10,772	11,746	12,868	14,826
Total Expenses	$'000	10,907	10,735	11,725	13,042	14,438
Net Operating Balance (Revenue less Expenses)	$'000	-148	37	21	-174	388
Total Assets	$'000	83,342	83,071	117,605	118,236	119,155
Total Liabilities	$'000	5,356	4,929	6,479	7,207	7,262
GFS Net Worth (Assets less Liabilities)	$'000	77,986	78,142	111,126	111,029	111,893
Net Debt (Financial Liabilities less Financial Assets)	$'000	-3,277	-2,024	-2,647	-2,550	-2,404
SELECTED INCOME SUPPORT CUSTOMERS - at June						
Age pension	no.	-	-	2,231	2,264	-
Disability support pension	no.	-	-	824	846	-
Newstart allowance	no.	-	-	615	637	-
Parenting payment - single	no.	-	-	629	644	-
Youth allowance	no.	-	-	443	440	-
Other pensions and allowances	no.	-	-	610	593	-
Total selected income support customers	no.	-	-	5,352	5,423	-
Percentage of long-term Newstart allowance customers	%	-	-	63.7	66.8	-
AVERAGE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL TAXABLE INCOME - year ended 30 June	$	32,094	33,893	34,708	36,198	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	9,423	9,313	9,463	9,654	-
Wage and salary income	$m	280.7	285.9	297.8	315.7	-
Total income	$m	291.4	298.8	311.0	329.6	-
Average wage and salary income	$	29,792	30,700	31,474	32,697	-
Average total income	$	30,921	32,082	32,869	34,140	-

SOURCE OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary	%	69.5	68.2	-	-	-
Own unincorporated business	%	10.9	10.8	-	-	-
Investment	%	6.2	7.3	-	-	-
Superannuation and annuity	%	1.4	1.5	-	-	-
Government cash benefit	%	11.6	12.0	-	-	-
Other income	%	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
Total income from all sources	$m	413.0	436.0	-	-	-
LAND AREA	km2	-	-	-	-	26.7
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	102	78	147	177	176
Total dwelling units	no.	114	80	153	227	191
Value of total residential building	$m	14.7	12.0	21.6	27.0	30.4
Value of total non-residential building	$m	10.5	11.7	6.3	4.4	15.8
Value of total building	$m	25.2	23.7	27.9	31.4	46.2
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	-	-	563	492	590
Other vehicles	no.	-	-	502	517	599
Total vehicles	no.	-	-	1,065	1,009	1,190
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION - year ended 30 June						
Value of crops	$m	-	*	-	-	-
Value of livestock slaughterings and other disposals	$m	-	0.7	-	-	-
Value of livestock products	$m	-	3.2	-	-	-
Total value of agricultural production	$m	-	3.9	-	-	-
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX- at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	848	848	865	860	842
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	877	889	889	885	864
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	882	845	824	873	921
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	847	849	825	790	795
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	730	735	741	738	729
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	870	837	788	786	777
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	866	883	912	908	876
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	909	881	857	831	820

Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	866	866	867	850	861
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	823	833	843	836	819
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	686	729	736	769	789
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	510	526	556	590	633
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	428	432	452	471	463
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	385	391	375	367	374
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	391	392	390	385	364
Males - 75 years to 84 years	no.	259	266	280	277	304
Males - 75 years to 84 years	no.	153	164	155	158	176
Males - 85 years and over	no.	87	92	98	99	96
Males - total	no.	11,417	11,458	11,453	11,473	11,503
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	883	879	877	901	883
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	881	883	868	858	854
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	862	851	857	862	909
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	836	829	823	817	779
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	746	738	741	729	724
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	889	841	823	800	778
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	892	924	884	866	845
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	914	893	864	867	869
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	891	925	946	939	918
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	768	775	795	807	808
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	687	718	713	730	752
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	511	529	567	609	640
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	454	478	476	457	474
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	458	427	432	446	442
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	430	451	443	444	441
Females - 75 years to 84 years	no.	385	392	403	390	411
Females - 75 years to 84 years	no.	275	286	290	298	299
Females - 85 years and over	no.	211	226	240	265	287
Females - total	no.	11,973	12,045	12,042	12,085	12,113
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1,731	1,727	1,742	1,761	1,725
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1,758	1,772	1,757	1,743	1,718
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1,744	1,696	1,681	1,735	1,830
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1,683	1,678	1,648	1,607	1,574
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1,476	1,473	1,482	1,467	1,453
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1,759	1,678	1,611	1,586	1,555
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1,758	1,807	1,796	1,774	1,721
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1,823	1,774	1,721	1,698	1,689

Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1,757	1,791	1,813	1,789	1,779
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1,591	1,608	1,638	1,643	1,627
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1,373	1,447	1,449	1,499	1,541
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1,021	1,055	1,123	1,199	1,273
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	882	910	928	928	937
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	843	818	807	813	816
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	821	843	833	829	805
Persons - 75 years to 84 years	no.	644	658	683	667	715
Persons - 75 years to 84 years	no.	428	450	445	456	475
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	298	318	338	364	383
Persons - total	no.	23,390	23,503	23,495	23,558	23,616
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION at 30 June	%	-	1.4	-	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001						
Total Born overseas	%	-	9.6	-	-	-
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	1.0	-	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	5.6	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	2.0	-	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	0.4	-	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001	%	-	3.8	-	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER - Census 2001						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	0.4	-	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	0.8	-	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	5.1	-	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	3.7	-	-	-
Certificate	%	-	16.1	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	10.5	-	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	36.6	-	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2001						
Managers and Administrators	%	-	5.7	-	-	-
Professionals	%	-	11.5	-	-	-
Associate Professionals	%	-	11.1	-	-	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	%	-	14.3	-	-	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	%	-	2.6	-	-	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	15.3	-	-	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	%	-	13.5	-	-	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	10.8	-	-	-
Labourers and Related Workers	%	-	13.3	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	2.0	-	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Lone person households	no.	-	2,453	-	-	-
Group households	no.	-	237	-	-	-
Family households	no.	-	6,059	-	-	-
Total households	no.	-	8,749	-	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	2,263	-	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	438	-	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	2,296	-	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	773	-	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	259	-	-	-
Other families	no.	-	64	-	-	-
Total families	no.	-	6,093	-	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION IN REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2001						
Major cities	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Inner regional	%	-	100.0	-	-	-
Outer regional	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Remote	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Very remote	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June	persons/km2	-	-	-	-	884.2
BIRTHS AND DEATHS						

Births - year ended 31 December	no.	334	331	380	375	340
Crude birth rate	rate	14.2	14.0	16.1	15.9	14.3
Deaths - year ended 31 December	no.	188	156	201	167	173
Crude death rate	rate	8.0	6.6	8.5	7.0	7.3
GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS - at August						
Number of Schools	no.	11	11	11	11	11
Teachers - Male	no.	100	99	92	92	92
Teachers - Female	no.	148	155	155	154	153
Teachers - Total	no.	248	254	247	245	245
Primary students	no.	2,223	2,250	2,232	2,211	2,158
Secondary students	no.	1,718	1,706	1,656	1,650	1,652
Total students	no.	3,941	3,956	3,888	3,860	3,809
PRIVATE SCHOOLS - at August						
Number of Schools	no.	3	2	2	2	2
Primary students - Male	no.	385	408	414	432	470
Primary students - Female	no.	393	412	426	441	439
Primary students - Total	no.	778	819	840	873	909
Secondary students - Male	no.	190	192	205	205	190
Secondary students - Female	no.	188	197	181	191	195
Secondary students - Total	no.	378	389	386	395	385
Total students	no.	1,156	1,208	1,225	1,268	1,293
TOTAL SCHOOLS - at August						
Total schools	no.	14	13	13	13	13
Total students	no.	5,097	5,164	5,113	5,128	5,102
PROPERTY SALES - Year ended June						
Residential sales - Number	no.	554	709	708	677	621
Residential sales - Value	$m	59	77	85	102	109
Residential sales - Average value	$'000	107	109	120	150	176
Commercial/Industrial sales - Number	no.	24	21	30	34	30
Commercial/Industrial sales - Value	$m	4	5	9	10	10
Primary Production sales - Number	no.	1	1	0	3	1
Primary Production sales - Value	$m	0	0	0	1	2
PROPERTY VALUATIONS - Year ended June						
Residential - Number of properties	no.	-	9,019	9,083	9,197	9,555
Residential - Capital Value	$m	-	837	932	1,065	1,556

Residential - Average Capital Value	$'000	-	93	103	116	163
Commercial/Industrial - Number of properties	no.	-	795	790	818	757
Commercial/Industrial - Capital Value	$m	-	275	278	298	368
Commercial/Industrial - Average Capital Value	$'000	-	346	352	365	486
Primary Production - Number of properties	no.	-	43	46	49	31
Primary Production - Capital Value	$m	-	7	8	9	10
Primary Production - Average Capital Value	$'000	-	167	183	178	321